The title, "Nemuri Nezaru," means "Slumber Sleep-Tarou," literally. Tarou is a very common Japanese name. The English equivalent would be "Sleep Sam." It's sounds much better in Japanese so we have left it that way.

NEMURI NETAROU APPEARS!

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特殊な「眼」を開眼した中学生九ノ瀬遥太による宇宙警察物語!!
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描き下ろし満載の人気キャラ総出演!
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三浦ハル / 山本武 / ノボーン / レイン ブリック / 六道骸
他、もろ豪華キャラを描き下ろし予定!

描き下ろし特集紹介!

★「24h」天野明キャラクター達の とある1日の「24時間」を網羅の「24枚カラー描き下ろし」!朝7時のツナ 8時の雲雀 夕方 16時の骸様 夜 22時の真方 とにかく必見!!

★「食」天野明キャラクター達の「食」にまつわる全話とシーンを全部描き下ろし

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青葉
PHEW
OKAY~
LINE THEM UP NEXT TO THE BOOKS, TONKO.
WHERE SHOULD I PUT THE PLATES AND STUFF?
I'M BEAT.
MOM, NEXT TIME WE MOVE DON'T SCRIMP AND JUST HAVE A MOVER DO EVERYTHING!
COME TO THINK OF IT, ON THE CONTRARY...
HEY, EVEN IF I DON'T WORK THIS HARD I CAN STILL SLEEP PRETTY COMFORTABLY.
WORK HARDER AND SLEEP HARDER THAT'S WHAT I ALWAYS SAY.
SCHOOL STARTS TOMORROW ANYWAY. A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP WILL BE PERFECT FOR YOU.
SOMEONE SO YOUNG SHOULD NOT BE PUTTING UP SUCH A FUSS!
THIS GIRL HAS A CERTAIN PROBLEM...

IS GOING TO BE NOTHING BUT A BATTLE FOR ME.
SLEEP ON THE NIGHT BEFORE I TRANSFER INTO MY NEW SCHOOL...
THAT STRESS HAS BEEN CAUSING ME TO GET NIGHTMARES WITHOUT FAIL THE NIGHT BEFORE I SWITCH INTO MY NEW SCHOOL.
WE'VE BEEN MOVING AT LEAST TWICE PER YEAR BECAUSE OF FATHER'S WORK.
MANGA STREAM
ARGH, IT'S ALREADY NIGHT-TIME.
IN THEM, MY NEW CLASS-MATES IGNORE ME, TEASE ME, AND CALL ME "ANNOYING."
AND THOSE NIGHTMARES ARE ALWAYS THE SAME.

I CAN'T FORGET THE DREAMS I'VE SEEN!
I DON'T WANNA SLEEP! BUT THAT'S ALSO PRETTY UNREASONABLE...
RIGHT, HERE GOES NOTHING.
ONE SHEEP...
TWO SHEEP...
!!?
OH NO, OH NO... THIS IS...
SLEEP PARALYSIS!
EEEK! I CAN HEAR FOOTSTEPS!
SHE'S FLAT...
WHAT!?
MANGA STREAM

HM?
DID SHE REALLY HAVE TITS THIS PUNY?
!!
A PER-VERT!
I CAN'T MOVE MY LIMBS!
THE HELL IS GOING ON HERE?
WHATEVER. I'LL JUST SEND HER BACK.
WHA-

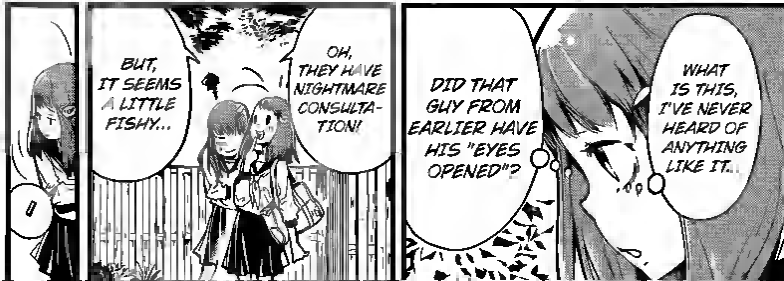
OI!
HELP ME!!
COOL IT!
GYA AAA AH!!!
A'A'!
TONKO !?
WH-WHAT'S GOING ON!
IT'S A PER-VERT!
SHIT SHIT-
AH, HE'S GETTING AWAY!
MANGA STREAM
DO NOT REPOST
MOM, CALL 911!
WHAT IN THE WORLD WAS THAT!? AGH, IT'S STILL THE FIRST DAY AFTER MOVING! THIS SUCKS!
RIGHT!
A
OW OW...

NEXT MORNING
AH~ I'M SLEEPY ...
LAST NIGHT, WHAT WITH THE POLICE COMING OVER AND EVERYTHING, I COULDN'T GET A SINGLE WINK OF SLEEP.
IT'S MY FIRST DAY AND YET I'VE GOT BAGS UNDER BY EYES AND MY SKIN IS A MESS...
I WANNA CRY~
GYAH!
S-
SORRY! SO SORRY!

THREE STRAIGHT ALL-NIGHTERS CAUSE OF WORK...
MY HEAD'S SO HAZY I CAN'T EVEN THINK STRAIGHT...
I'M FINE BUT ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE ALRIGHT?
SORT OF...
IT WAS THIS ALLEY, WASN'T IT...
ADULT LIFE MUST BE PRETTY CRAZY, HUH. COMPARED TO THAT, I'M JUST SPOILED, IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT...
I KNEW IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA TO GO!
?
MY DROWSINESS IS GONE! I'M GOING TO GIVE IT ALL I'VE GOT TODAY TOO!
WHA-!?
ISN'T THAT THE GUY I JUST RAN INTO?
I'M GOING TO GET ALL THEM CONTRACTS!
HE'S LITERALLY JUMPING FOR JOY!
WHAT HAPPENED TO HIM!?

...A SHOP?
HE CAME OUT OF HERE, DIDN'T HE...

SLEEP DEPOT?
NIGHTMARE CONSULTATION
OVER-SLEEPING BEDWETTING
LACK OF SLEEP
WE WILL OPEN YOUR EYES!
SLEEP DEPOT
NIGHTMARE CONSULTATION
WELCOME


BUT, IT SEEMS A LITTLE FISHY...
OH, THEY HAVE NIGHTMARE CONSULTATION!
DID THAT GUY FROM EARLIER HAVE HIS "EYES OPENED"?
WHAT IS THIS, I'VE NEVER HEARD OF ANYTHING LIKE IT...

WAIT, THAT EM-PLOYEE...
HE'S SO MY TYPE!
MANGA STREAM DO NOT MIRROR
OH MAN...
NOW I JUST HAVE TO GO IN...
EXCUSE ME.
I SAW THE "NIGHTMARE CONSULTATION" SIGN OUTSIDE AND
COME IN.
MY BAD, BUT, CAN YOU WAIT A SECOND FOR ME TO FINISH EATING?
WHAT !?
WHAT A LOSER!
WAS THAT PER-FECT GUY EARLIER JUST A PICTURE?

OH, THAT WAS ME. I ALTERED MY APPEARANCE JUST A LITTLE.
DO ME A FAVOR AND KEEP IT THAT WAY!
ガーン
PRETTY COOL, HUH.
WAIT A SEC !!!
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YOU ARE THE PERVERT FROM YESTERDAY!
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BUH-
I'VE GOTTA NOTIFY THE COPS!
WAIT!
GEH-
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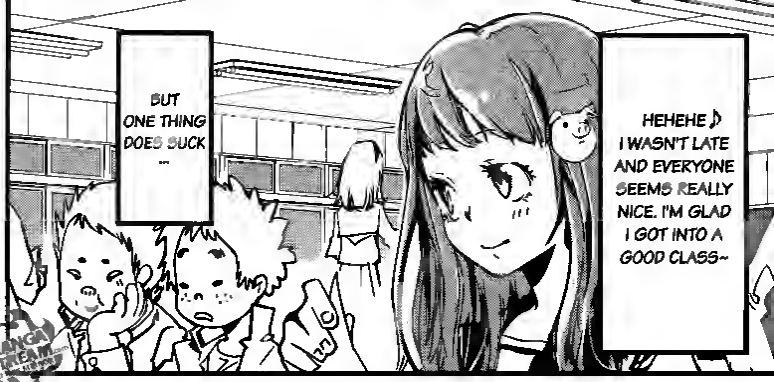
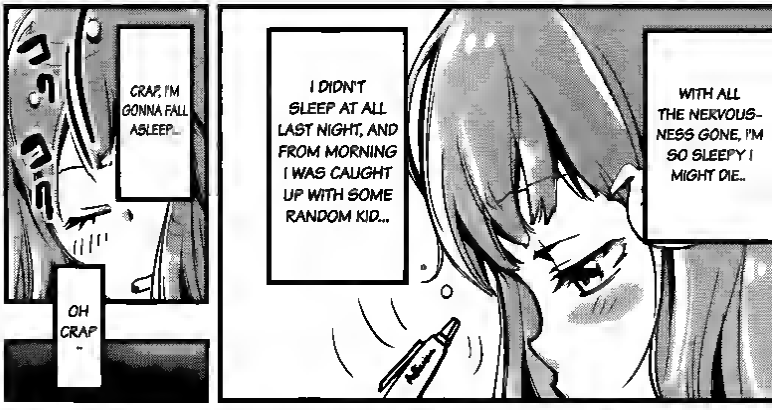
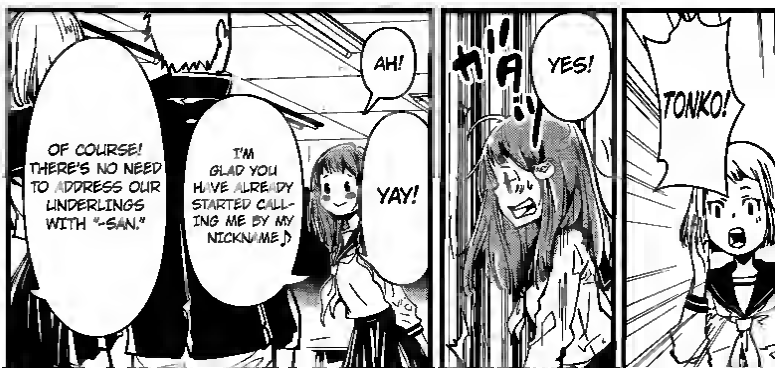
A-A CHILD!?
JEEZ...
YOU BETTER NOT TELL ANYONE.
KIDS AREN'T SUPPOSED TO WORK AND ALL THAT STUFF
HUH...?
LAST NIGHT WAS MY BAD.
I FORGOT THAT THE CUSTOMER THAT USED TO LIVE IN YOUR HOUSE HAD MOVED.
CUSTO-MER?
A MANGAKA WITH A MONTHLY PUBLICA-TION.
SHE CONTRACTED US TO GET RID OF HER SLEEPINESS EVERY MONTH BEFORE HER DEADLINE SO SHE COULD WORK HARDER.
I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT HE'S SAYING...
IT'S ON THE SIGNS OUTSIDE, AIN'T IT?

NEMURI NETAROU IS...
MY NAME!
HERE, WE DEAL WITH SLEEP-RELATED PROBLEMS LIKE SLEEPLESSNESS, OVERSLEEPING, NIGHTMARES, AND BED-WETTING.
A SLEEP DEPOT.
AND I'M A SLEEP SPECIALIST THAT HAS A SLEEP LICENSE.
NETAROU-KUN, WHERE ARE YOUR PAPA AND MAMA?
LOOK HERE, BITCH! YOU BETTER NOT TREAT ME LIKE SOME SHITTY KID!
IF ANYTHING, YOU'RE THE KID, WITH YOUR TINY TITS AND ALL!
TINY ...!?
WHAT'S WITH THIS KID, HE ISN'T CUTE AT ALL!
OH, YOU SAID YOU HAVE NIGHTMARES DIDN'T YOU?
IF YOU AIN'T GONNA REPORT US FOR LAST NIGHT, I'LL LET YOU HAVE A SPECIAL APPOINTMENT ON THE HOUSE
ずーん
WHA-
WHY DOES THIS KID KEEP TALKING DOWN TO ME .

IT'S FINE. I'LL OVERLOOK WHAT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT.
SWEET!
BUT I'M GOING TO REPORT THAT THERE IS A CHILD HERE THAT ISN'T IN SCHOOL DURING THE DAY AND IS DOING SOME SHADY BUSINESS!
WHAT DID YOU SAY!?
OI, WAIT-
SHE THINKS SHE CAN THREATEN ME!?
I'VE GOT NO CHOICE. THIS WILL HAVE TO DO.
HAH!
I'M GONNA BE LATE !!!
OH CRAP! LOOK AT THE TIME!


HEHEHE♪ I WASN'T LATE AND EVERYONE SEEMS REALLY NICE. I'M GLAD I GOT INTO A GOOD CLASS~
BUT ONE THING DOES SUCK ...


WITH ALL THE NERVOUSNESS GONE, I'M SO SLEEPY I MIGHT DIE..
I DIDN'T SLEEP AT ALL LAST NIGHT, AND FROM MORNING I WAS CAUGHT UP WITH SOME RANDOM KID...
CRAP, I'M GONNA FALL ASLEEP...
OH CRAP~


TONKO!
YES!
AH!
YAY!
I'M GLAD YOU HAVE ALREADY STARTED CALLING ME BY MY NICKNAME♪
OF COURSE! THERE'S NO NEED TO ADDRESS OUR UNDERLINGS WITH "-SAN."

THOSE WORDS JUST NOW...
I RECOGNIZE THEM. THIS IS MY USUAL NIGHTMARE.
UGH, TONKO'S SO ANNOYING...
ALSO, CAN YOU GO GET US SOME FOOD?
WHA-!?
AND IGNORE ME AND BULLY ME...
FROM HERE THEY'LL JUST MAKE ME THEIR LACKEY
HU-
THIS IS A SLEEP SPE-CIALIST'S CURSE!
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!
I'LL BEAT UP ANY-ONE THAT MAKES FUN OF TONKO!
WHA!?
YOU'RE THAT KID FROM EARLIER!
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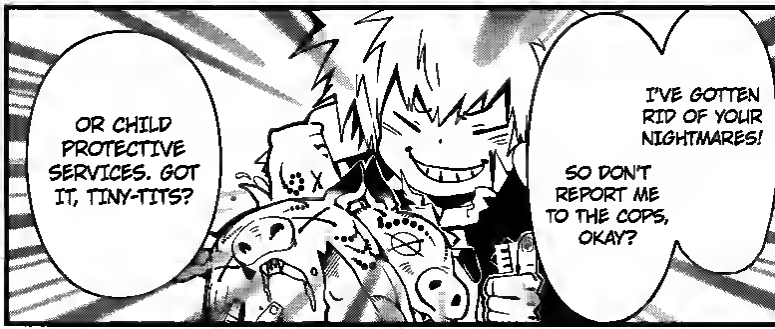
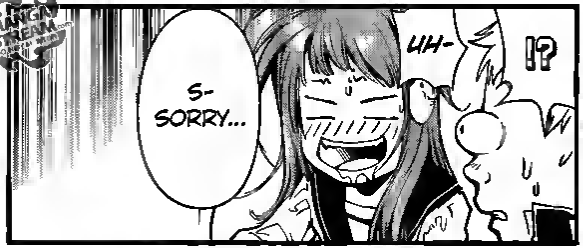
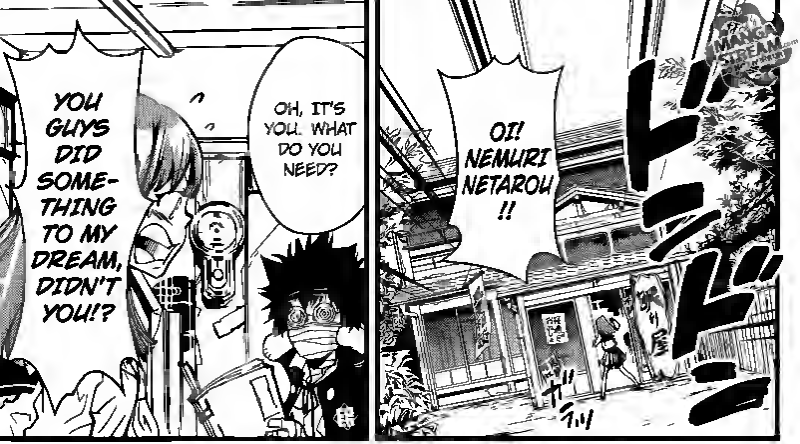
WH-
WHAT'S GOING ON!?
OINK-
LIKE I'LL LET YOU, YA BAS-TARDS!
SHIT, RUN!
I DON'T WANNA GET INVOLVED WITH THAT GUY!


I'VE GOTTEN RID OF YOUR NIGHTMARES!
SO DON'T REPORT ME TO THE COPS, OKAY?
OR CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES. GOT IT, TINY-TITS?


S-SORRY...
UH-
!?

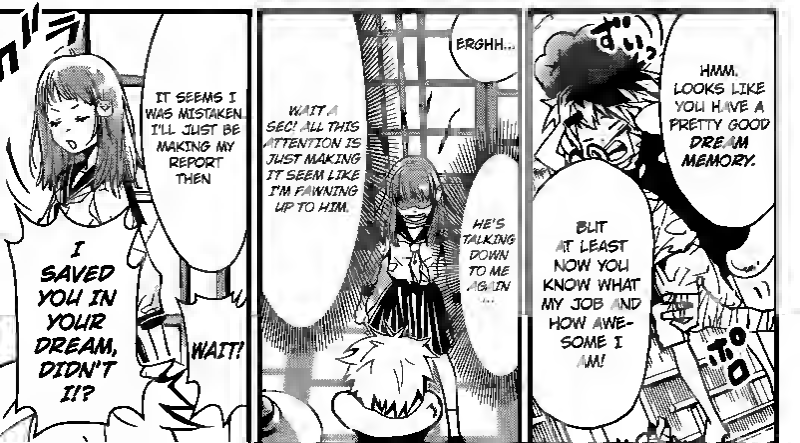
WAH!

WHAT WAS THAT DREAM JUST NOW!? WHY WAS THAT KID IN IT...
DROOL
WHA-
AOBA-SAN ...YOU'RE DROOLING



SIGN: SLEEP DEPOT

EVEN THOUGH THERE'S BEEN A FIRE IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD, OR THE FACT THAT MY PET BIRD HAS DIED, EVERY TIME I HAVE TO TRANSFER SCHOOLS, I SEE THAT DREAM WITHOUT FAIL!
THAT NIGHTMARE HAS ALWAYS BEEN THE SAME! IT'S NEVER CHANGED, NOT EVEN ONCE!


I SAVED YOU IN YOUR DREAM, DIDN'T I!?
WAIT!
IT SEEMS I WAS MISTAKEN. I'LL JUST BE MAKING MY REPORT THEN
WAIT A SEC! ALL THIS ATTENTION IS JUST MAKING IT SEEM LIKE I'M FAWNING UP TO HIM.
ERGHH...
HE'S TALKING DOWN TO ME AGAIN...
HMM. LOOKS LIKE YOU HAVE A PRETTY GOOD DREAM MEMORY.
BUT AT LEAST NOW YOU KNOW WHAT MY JOB AND HOW AWE-SOME I AM!

!?
YOU CAME INTO MY DREAM?
SIGH. HOW ANNOYING.
AT THIS RATE, IT LOOKS LIKE ONLY WAY I CAN CONVINCE YOU IS IF I SHOW YOU THE TRUTH DIRECTLY.
MANGA STREAM
TRUTH ...?
TONKO.
SLEEP.
!?
S-SLEEP!? WHAT DO YOU MEAN!?
YOU'RE JUST A RANDOM KID WITH A WEIRD STUFFED ANIMAL! WHY SHOULD I LISTEN TO YOU!?
HERE, I'LL MAKE YOU SLEEPY.
SIGH. YOU'RE REALLY ANNOYING, YOU KNOW, TINY-TITS.
GO TO SLEEP ALREADY.

I'VE REALLY ACTUALLY GOTTEN SLEEPY...
HUH?
WHA... NO WAY...
THAT'S EDO PERIOD GLASS, ISN'T IT?
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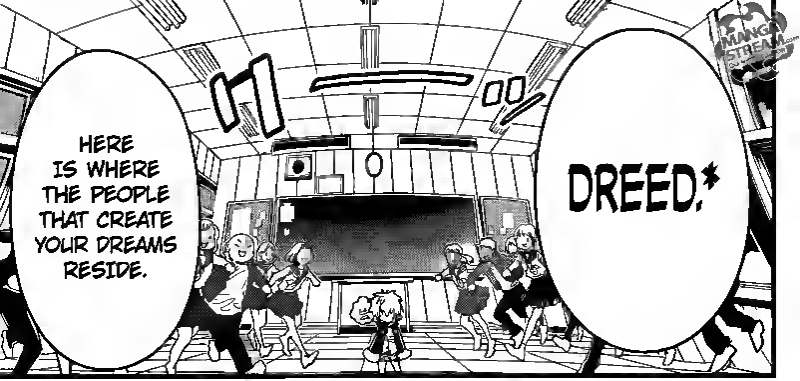
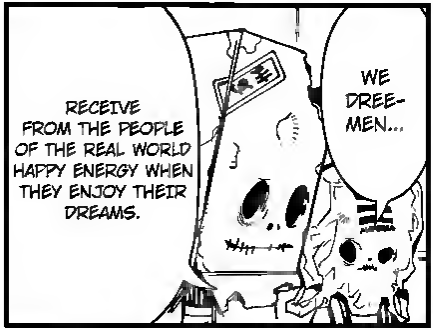
MANGA STREAM
DO NOT STEAL
HUH?
RIGHT. LET'S GET STARTED, SHALL WE?
NETA-ROU!
THAT MEANS THIS MUST BE A DREAM!
I KNOW THIS PLACE. THIS IS THE CLASSROOM THAT ALWAYS SHOWS UP IN MY NIGHT-MARES.

DREAMS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE MANIFESTATIONS OF YOUR SUBCONSCIOUS, RIGHT?
DOES THAT MEAN THAT SOMEWHERE DEEP DOWN YOU'VE STARTED TO GET ON MY MIND?
FIRST OFF, YOU'RE WRONG ABOUT ALL THAT.
NOR IS IT BORN FROM THE DEPTHS OF YOUR MIND OR YOUR DESIRES.
WHAT YOU'RE CURRENTLY DREAMING ABOUT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOUR SUBCONSCIOUS.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?!
HUH?!
DREAMS OCCUPY A SPACE SYNTHETICALLY CREATED...
BY A COMPLETE STRANGER.
WHEN HE OR SHE SLEEPS, A HUMAN'S CONSCIOUSNESS SEPARATES FROM HIS OR HER BODY...
AND TRAVELS THE "ROAD OF SLEEP" TO ANOTHER WORLD. IN OTHER WORDS, HERE.
MANGA STREAM

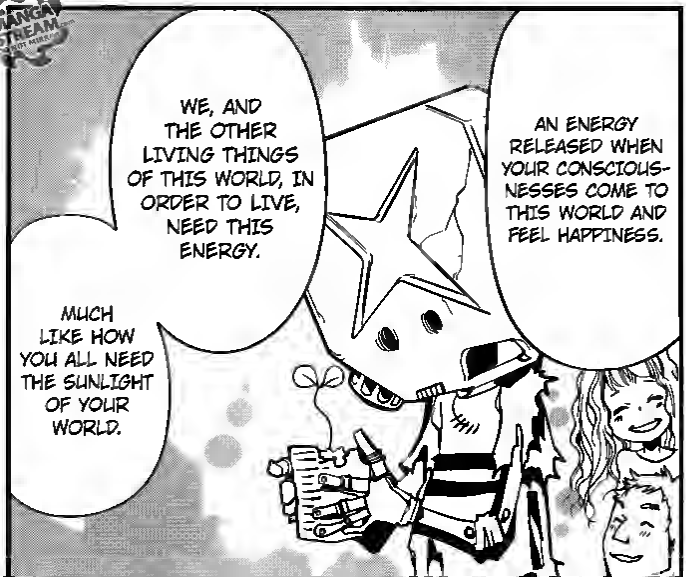


*T/N: KANJI READ "DREAM VISION WORLD"

THE RESIDENTS OF DREAMS, DREEMEN.
WE'RE THE ONES THAT CREATE THEM AND ACT IN THEM.
THE DREAMS YOU SEE WHILE YOU'RE ASLEEP ...
EH?
WHAT !?


RECEIVE FROM THE PEOPLE OF THE REAL WORLD HAPPY ENERGY WHEN THEY ENJOY THEIR DREAMS.
WE DREE-MEN...

ACT? WHAT?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?


MANGA STREAM
WE, AND THE OTHER LIVING THINGS OF THIS WORLD, IN ORDER TO LIVE, NEED THIS ENERGY.
MUCH LIKE HOW YOU ALL NEED THE SUNLIGHT OF YOUR WORLD.
AN ENERGY RELEASED WHEN YOUR CONSCIOUS-NESSES COME TO THIS WORLD AND FEEL HAPPINESS.

HAPPY —!
ENERGY —?

WE ARE ALSO NOT THE ONLY DREEMEN.
BUT... WAIT A MINUTE... YOU SAID "ENJOY THEIR DREAMS," RIGHT...
THERE ARE ROOMS OUTSIDE OF THIS ONE. THE REST OF THE WORLD DREAMS THEIR DREAMS THERE.
BUT A BUNCH OF PEOPLE BESIDES ME DREAM, RIGHT?
THE DREAMS I SEE THE NIGHT BEFORE I SWITCH SCHOOLS ARE ALWAYS ABSOLUTELY HORRIBLE NIGHTMARES!
WHAT THE HELL IS UP WITH THAT!?
ER... WELL... TRY TO OVERLOOK THE PARTS THAT DIDN'T GO OVER TOO WELL...
HUH? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
IT'S THE JOB OF A SLEEP SPECIALIST TO FIX NIGHTMARES LIKE THAT.
THAT'S WHY REPORTING ME WOULD BE A BAD THING, YA KNOW.

MANGA STREAM
AGH... I JUST CAN'T MAKE SENSE OF IT ALL!
COME TO THINK OF IT, I'VE NEVER HEARD OF ANY OF THIS STUFF!
WELL, THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S KEPT SECRET ...
BUT, YOU'RE USING OUR HAPPY ENERGY, AREN'T YOU?
IT'S NOT JUST THAT YOU'RE MAKING USE OF US THROUGH DREAMS!
IT'S UNFAIR! NOT ONLY ARE WE BEING MADE USE OF WITHOUT OUR KNOWLEDGE OR CONSENT, WE'RE BEING FORCED TO DREAM NIGHT-MARES!
I GUESS SO.
IS IT REALLY SOMETHING TO GET SO MAD ABOUT? I THOUGHT YOU'D BE PRETTY CHEESED TO FIND OUT ABOUT ALL THIS...

EVERYTHING HERE WORKS ONLY IN A WAY THAT BENEFITS YOU LOT!!
THIS IS HORRIBLE!
MANGA STREAM
?
YOU'RE RIGHT LOOKS LIKE THE SHOCK WAS TOO MUCH FOR HER TO TAKE
YOU HAD BETTER PUT A FORGETFULNESS SPELL ON THIS GIRL...
IF DOESN'T KNOW ANY-THING, IT'LL BE EASIER FOR HER TO ENJOY HER DREAMS
WH-WHAT ARE YOU GONNA DO!?
I'LL CAST A SPELL ON HER THAT WILL MAKE HER FORGET ABSOLUTELY EVERYTHING ABOUT THIS WORLD AND THE WAY IT WORKS
ASIDE FROM THE FACT THAT A SLEEP SPECIALIST IS INDEED A REAL JOB, AND THAT SHE SHOULD NOT REPORT ME,
!?
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MY ARMS ARE GOING THROUGH YOUR BODY!
STOP!
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YOUR CONSCIOUSNESSES DO NOT EXIST IN THE DREAM WORLD AS PHYSICAL ENTITIES.
THEY EXIST AS GHOSTS.
MANGA STREAM
DO NOT REMOVE
ヒュウウウ
WAWAAH!
MY BODY'S BECOMING TRANSPARENT!!
YOU REALLY ARE DOING WHATEVER YOU WANT HERE JUST CAUSE WE'RE WEAK, AREN'T YOU!?
FORGET!
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NOW I'LL REMOVE YOUR SLEEPINESS, AND YOU'LL AWAKEN
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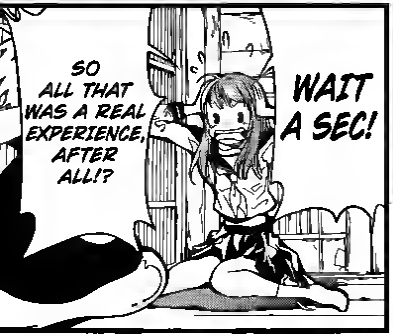
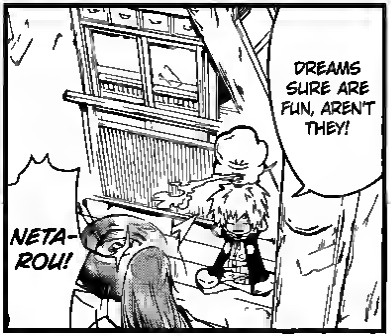

SO ALL THAT WAS A REAL EXPERIENCE, AFTER ALL!?
WAIT A SEC!

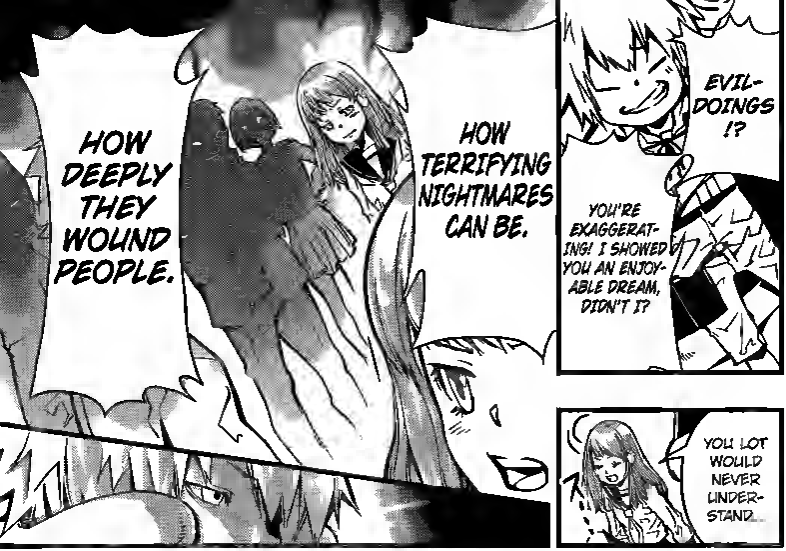

DREAMS SURE ARE FUN, AREN'T THEY!
NETA-ROU!

WHAT!?

BY OTHER STUFF, DO YOU MEAN DREED, OR...
DREEMEN?

YOU SHOULDN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING ABOUT THE OTHER STUFF.
I HOPE YOU REMEMBER THAT YOU DON'T HAVE TO REPORT ME.

I EVEN USED A FORGET-FULNESS SPELL ON YOU!
DIDN'T YOU SAY EARLIER THAT I'M GOOD AT REMEMBERING MY DREAMS?
DAMN IT! HOW DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT STUFF!?
CALM DOWN...
HAA-
THEY MIGHT NOT JUST STOP AT THE REVO-CATION OF MY LICENSE...
IF THE HIGHER-UPS FIND OUT THAT A REGULAR PERSON KNOWS ABOUT DREED
MANGA STREAM
ALL OF YOUR EVIL-DOINGS!
THIS IS SOMETHING THAT EVERY ONE IN THE REAL WORLD SHOULD KNOW ABOUT!
I'LL JUST HAVE YOU FORGET ABOUT THIS PLACE WITH A HYPNOSIS SPELL.
IT'S FINE AFTER ALL...
HM?


HOW DEEPLY THEY WOUND PEOPLE.
HOW TERRIFYING NIGHTMARES CAN BE.
EVIL-DOINGS!?
YOU'RE EXAGGERATING! I SHOWED YOU AN ENJOYABLE DREAM, DIDN'T I?
YOU LOT WOULD NEVER UNDERSTAND...

THERE'S SOME PERVERT FOLLOWING ME!
TONKO, WHAT'S THE MATTER?
OH MY, HOW TERRIBLE!!
YOU GOTTA BE KIDDING ME.
YOU ONLY CARE ABOUT YOURSELF!
OI!
AAAAAA
I'LL BE IN DEEP SHIT!
DO
MOMMY!
SAVE ME!
I'M GOING HOME!
OI! WAIT!
YOUR MEMORIES AREN'T ERASED YET!
MANGA STREAM

SHE'S GOT A PRETTY CRAZY DREAM MEMORY, THOUGH.
SUCKS THAT HER PERSONALITY IS THE WAY IT IS.
EVEN SO, SHE WAS RIGHT...
YOU LOT WOULD NEVER UNDER-STAND...
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DEAR, WHAT'S WRONG WITH TONKO?
SHE WENT TO BED EAR-LIER ..I HOPE EVERYTHING WENT OKAY FOR HER TODAY
WE'VE GOT THE POLICE PATROLLING THE AREA SO EVERYTHING SHOULD BE FINE

RIGHT, I'M GONNA SLEEP NOW. I'M GONNA GO TO DREED.
AND TELL EVERYONE FROM THE REAL WORLD ABOUT THE EVIL-DOINGS OF THE DREEMEN!
AGH!

IN THE REAL WORLD, IF I TRIED TO TELL SOMEONE THAT THEIR DREAMS WERE ALL BEING CREATED BY OTHER PEOPLE, I'D PROBABLY JUST GET LAUGHED AT.
BUT IN THE DREAM WORLD, I CAN SHOW THEM PROOF OF THEIR EXISTENCE AS A "CONSCIOUSNESS" AND HOPEFULLY GET THEM TO BELIEVE ME.
I WONDER IF I WILL EVEN BE ABLE TO COME ACROSS OTHER PEOPLE'S CONSCIOUSNESSES.
THEY DID SAY THAT THERE WERE OTHER ROOMS OUTSIDE MY OWN...
I HAVE TO TRY...
IT'S THE CLASSROOM...!!
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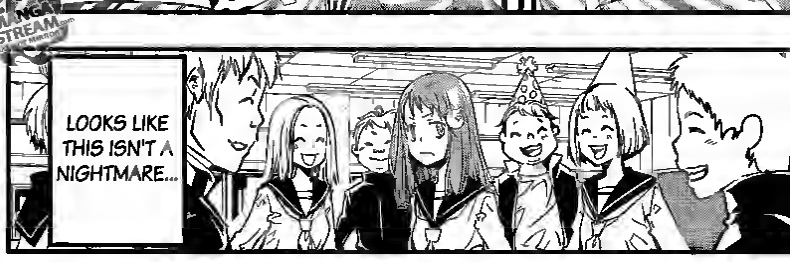
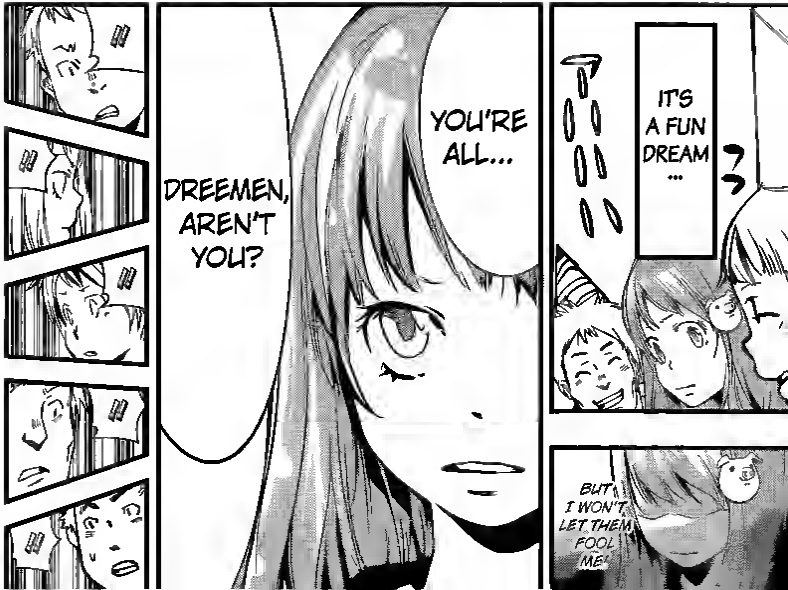
WELCOME TO OUR CLASS!
CONGRATULATIONS ON THE TRANSFER!


LOOKS LIKE THIS ISN'T A NIGHTMARE...


IT'S A FUN DREAM...
YOU'RE ALL... DREEMEN, AREN'T YOU?
BUT I WON'T LET THEM FOOL ME!

WHA?
I KNOW THAT THIS IS DREED AND THAT YOU ARE ALL JUST ACTING TO FOOL ME.
I KNOW.
W-WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, TONKO-CHAN?
HUH?
WHERE IS THE EXIT TO THIS ROOM!?
BY THE WAY, I WANT TO GO TO THE ROOMS OF THE OTHER CONSCIOUS-NESSES.
I DON'T THINK NEMURI WOULD TELL HER ABOUT THIS STUFF EITHER...
I THOUGHT WE PUT A FORGET-FULNESS SPELL...
WHAT'S GOING ON?
IT MUST BE THERE!
SHE HID IT!
NO CHOICE BUT TO TRY AND SEE!

I'M GOING TO TELL EVERY-ONE THE TRUTH!
WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO!?
TONKO!
I'M GONNA HIT THE WALL!
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MANGA
STREAM

THIS IS BAD!
A CONSCIOUSNESS HAS GOTTEN OUT!
WHAT IS ALL THIS?
WHAT...
COME THIS WAY.
!?
WHATEVER IT TAKES, CAPTURE HER!
DON'T LET TONKO GET AWAY!
WHO ARE YOU?
THE DREEMEN ARE FULL OF LIES.

BUT, FROM THIS HEIGHT...
JUMP.
YOU WILL BE FINE. YOU ARE A CONSCIOUSNESS.
THIS WAY
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LIFF!
AHH!

LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING.
WHO ARE YOU?
?
GIVE IT UP.
I WANT TO SEE THE OTHER CONSCIOUSNESSES
WHAT!?
DREEMEN ARE JUST LIKE YOU. THEY WERE ONCE THE CONSCIOUSNESSES OF PEOPLE IN THE REAL WORLD.
IN THE REAL WORLD THEY ARE UNCONSCIOUS, DEAD BUT UNDYING. COMATOSE.
AS A RESULT, THEY ARE UNABLE TO RETURN TO THEIR BODIES IN THE REAL WORLD THEY ARE BUT FRAGMENTS OF A CONSCIOUSNESS
THEY LOST A PART OF THEIR CONSCIOUSNESS WHILE THEY WERE DREAMING IN THIS WORLD.

OH NO...
WHY DID THEY LOSE A PART OF THEIR CONSCIOUSNESS ...?
BECAUSE IT WAS EATEN.
!?
ORIGINALLY, IN THIS WORLD, THERE WERE BUT TWO TYPES OF CREATURES.
MANGA STREAM
*T/N: BAKU ARE JAPANESE MYTHOLOGICAL BEASTS SAID TO DEVOUR DREAMS.
BUT AS THE DREAMEN BEGAN TO SURROUND AND CONTAIN IN THE UPPER LEVELS OF THE DREAM WORLD THE CONSCIOUSNESSES THAT CAME FROM THE REAL WORLD
IT BECAME QUITE DIFFICULT FOR THE BAKU TO COME ACROSS THEIR PREY THEY ARE DISPLEASED
THE CONSCIOUSNESSES OF THOSE SLEEPING IN THE REAL WORLD AND...
THE BAKU* THAT ATE THEM.
BAKU?

A BAKU!
バシュウ
WH-
DIS-PLEASED? COULD IT BE... YOU ARE A...
YOU HAVE QUITE GOOD INTUITION, IT APPEARS
YOU ARE CORRECT. I AM...
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I'M SO SCARED I CAN'T EVEN CRY OUT...
HOW DELI-CIOUS YOU LOOK!
EEEEEEK!
HN?
FUCKIN' HUGE.
IT REALLY HAS BEEN A WHILE SINCE I'VE SEEN ONE OF THIS CLASS.

NETA-ROU!
WHAT IS IT NOW? A SLEEP SPECIA-LIST?
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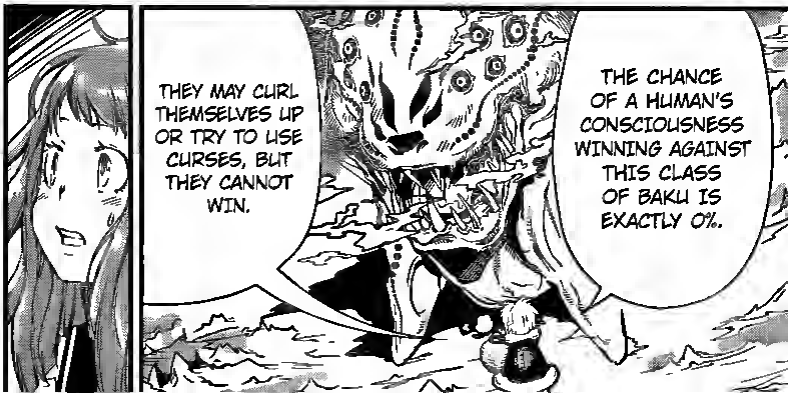
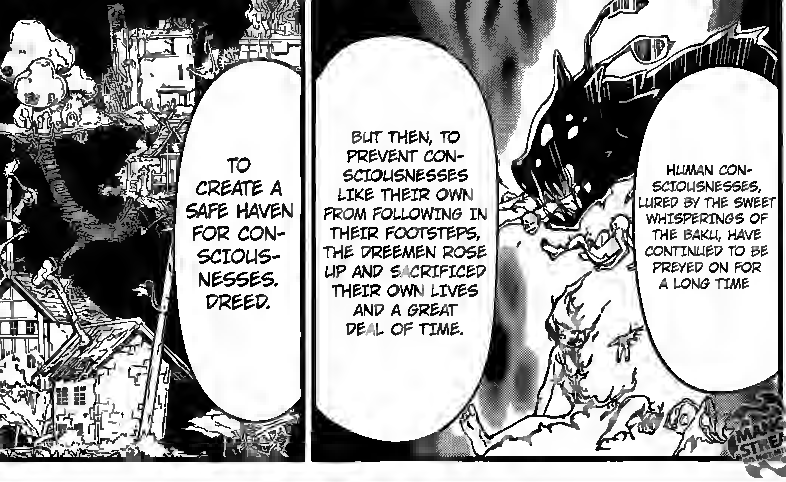
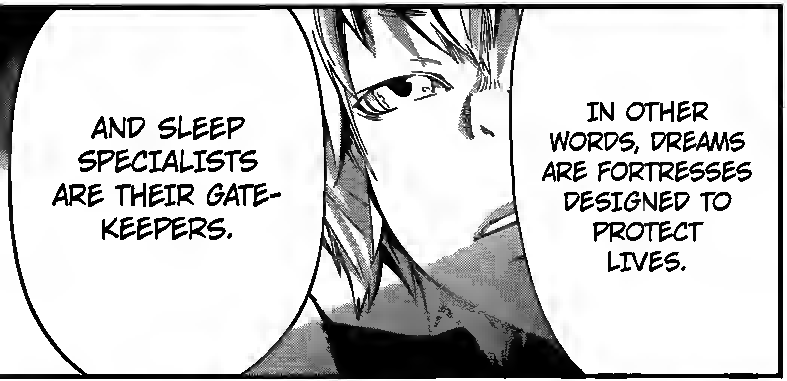
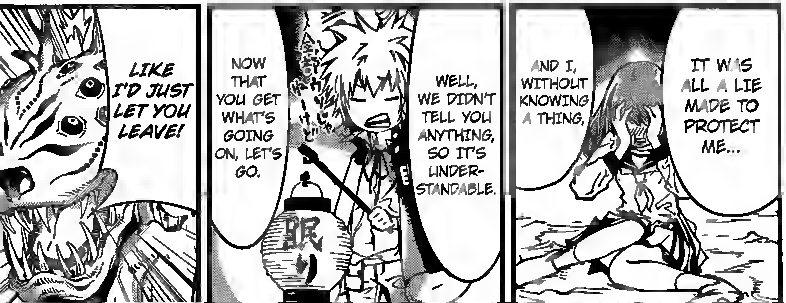
MANGA STREAM

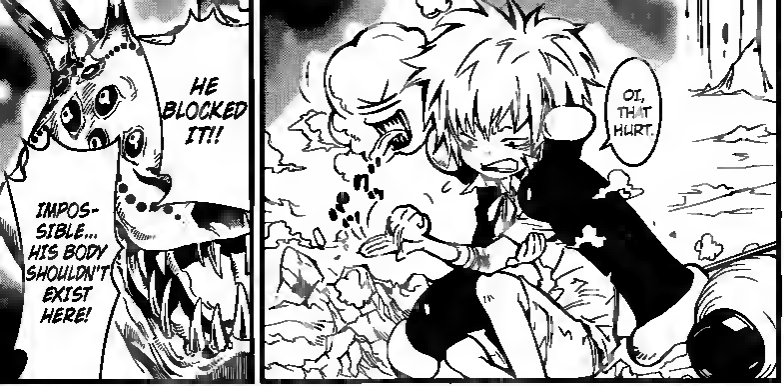

THEY MAY CURL THEMSELVES UP OR TRY TO USE CURSES, BUT THEY CANNOT WIN.
THE CHANCE OF A HUMAN'S CONSCIOUSNESS WINNING AGAINST THIS CLASS OF BAKU IS EXACTLY 0%.

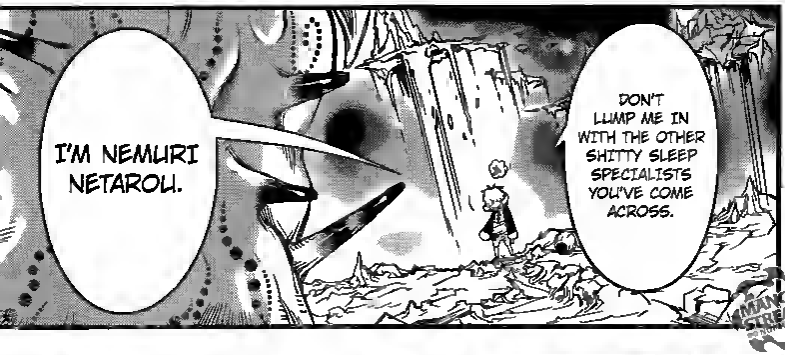

TO CREATE A SAFE HAVEN FOR CONSCIOUSNESSES. DREED.
BUT THEN, TO PREVENT CONSCIOUSNESSES LIKE THEIR OWN FROM FOLLOWING IN THEIR FOOTSTEPS, THE DREEMEN ROSE UP AND SACRIFICED THEIR OWN LIVES AND A GREAT DEAL OF TIME.
HUMAN CONSCIOUSNESSES, LURED BY THE SWEET WHISPERINGS OF THE BAKU, HAVE CONTINUED TO BE PREYED ON FOR A LONG TIME


AND SLEEP SPECIALISTS ARE THEIR GATEKEEPERS.
IN OTHER WORDS, DREAMS ARE FORTRESSES DESIGNED TO PROTECT LIVES.


LIKE I'D JUST LET YOU LEAVE!
NOW THAT YOU GET WHAT'S GOING ON, LET'S GO.
WELL, WE DIDN'T TELL YOU ANYTHING, SO IT'S UNDERSTANDABLE.
AND I, WITHOUT KNOWING A THING,
IT WAS ALL A LIE MADE TO PROTECT ME...

MORE FOOD FOR MY PLATE!
AFTER ALL, SLEEP SPECIALISTS ARE JUST FAINT HUMAN-LIKE CONSCIOUSNESSES!
WHAT PRETTY WORDS THE SLEEP SPECIALIST SPEAKS! LIKE I'D EVER LET HIM LEAVE!
MANGA STREAM


HE BLOCKED IT!!
IMPOS-SIBLE... HIS BODY SHOULDN'T EXIST HERE!
OI, THAT HURT.


I'M NEMURI NETAROU.
DON'T LUMP ME IN WITH THE OTHER SHITTY SLEEP SPECIALISTS YOU'VE COME ACROSS.
MANGA STREAM

IT EXISTS EVEN IN THE DREAM WORLD.
I HAVE A ONE-OF-A-KIND BODY.
NEMURI NETAROU!?
I'VE HEARD THAT NAME SOME-WHERE...

NORMAL PERSON
CONSCIOUS-NESS
BODY
NET.AROU
CONSCIOUS-NESS
BODY
DREAM WORLD
REAL WORLD
THAT IS WHY, IN EITHER WORLD, MY APPEARANCE AND PHYSIQUE ARE BUT THAT OF A DWARFISH CHILD.
TO BE EXACT, MY BODY IS SPLIT INTO TWO HALVES, ONE OF WHICH RESIDES IN THE REAL WORLD AND ONE IN THE DREAM WORLD.
WHAT !?
I AM ABLE, FOR A SHORT TIME, TO INTEGRATE TOGETHER THE SPLIT HALVES OF MY BODY.
FURTHER-MORE, WITH UNRELENTING EFFORT,
IMPOS-SIBLE! YOU'VE GOT A BODY IN BOTH WORLDS !?
A LITTLE QUICK TO GET SUR-PRISED, AREN'T YA.
I SUCK UP MY REAL WORLD BODY...
THAT IS,
USING MY PET DREAM-BEAST,

BATTLE POWER, INFINITE !!!
THE IMPECCABLE NEMURI NETAROU !!!
TRAVEL THE ROAD OF DREAMS AND INJECT IT INTO MY BODY HERE.
ADULTHOOD, HERE I COME!
MANGA STREAM

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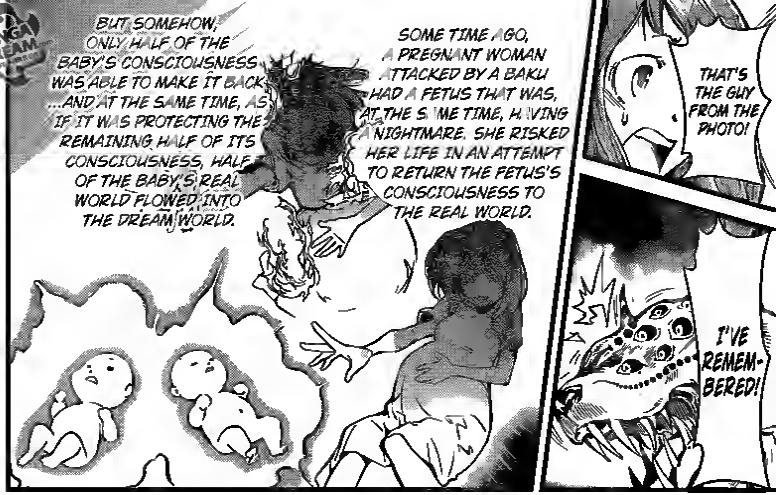
BUT, SOMEHOW, ONLY HALF OF THE BABY'S CONSCIOUSNESS WAS ABLE TO MAKE IT BACK. ...AND AT THE SAME TIME, AS IF IT WAS PROTECTING THE REMAINING HALF OF ITS CONSCIOUSNESS, HALF OF THE BABY'S REAL WORLD FLOWED INTO THE DREAM WORLD.
SOME TIME AGO, A PREGNANT WOMAN ATTACKED BY A BAKU HAD A FETUS THAT WAS, AT THE SAME TIME, HAVING A NIGHTMARE. SHE RISKED HER LIFE IN AN ATTEMPT TO RETURN THE FETUS'S CONSCIOUSNESS TO THE REAL WORLD.
THAT'S THE GUY FROM THE PHOTO!
I'VE REMEMBERED!

FOREVER.

I'M SORRY, TONKO.
?
IS THIS THE SAME GUY...
AS THAT LITTLE NETAROU KID?
MANGA STREAM
I MADE FUN OF YOUR NIGHTMARES.
THIS GUY... HE'S APOLOGIZ-ING...
キュン…
UH... UH...
WHAT WITH YOUR DREAM MEMORY, YOU PROBABLY WON'T BE ABLE TO FORGET WHAT HAPPENED TODAY
YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW, I GUESS. THERE'S NO HELPING IT.
I'D LIKE YOU TO PRETEND THAT YOU KNOW NOTHING, THOUGH, AND JUST ENJOY YOUR DREAMS FROM HERE ON OUT
OH, BY THE WAY.
IT'D BE NICE IF, ONE DAY, YOU...

WHOA-
GREW SOME BIGGER TITS!
WHAT!?
GOOD MORNING, MOM.
GOOD MORNING, TONKO.
IT WAS A DREAM...
MY BED AT HOME, HUH...
HUH? WHERE AM I?
I GUESS IT REALLY WAS ALL A DREAM...
A DREAM THAT JUST REFLECTED THE ANXIETY AND FEAR I FELT EVERY TIME I SWITCHED SCHOOLS.
THE PLACE WHERE THE SLEEP DEPOT USED TO BE WAS EMPTY LAND WITH GRASS GROWING AS IF NOTHING HAD EVER BEEN THERE.
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FROM THAT DAY, I NEVER DREAMED.
SIGN: LAND FOR SALE

OKAY! I'LL LIVE FROM HERE ON OUT WITH MY HEAD UP!
MY RITE OF PASSAGE INTO ADULTHOOD IS COMPLETE!
THE HERO MY DESIRES BROUGHT TO LIFE...
I DON'T LIKE KIDS, THOUGH.
SIGH~
I'M BACK !!
WELCOME HOME, DAD!
MANGA STREAM
I'M NEMURI
NETA-ROU !?
WHA AAA AAT !?
NICE TO MEET YOU.
WE'RE GOING TO BE TAKING CARE OF THIS KID FOR A WHILE.
OH MY!
HE'S THE KID OF A COLLEAGUE OF MINE THAT WAS TRANSFERRED OVERSEAS
HE MISSED JAPAN SO DEARLY THAT HE CAME BACK ALL BY HIM-SELF.

IF I TREATED A KID WITH A FACE LIKE HIS WELL, GOOD THINGS WOULD HAPPEN TO ME

IN MY DREAMS, A MONK THAT LOOKS EXACTLY LIKE THIS KID CAME TO ME AND TOLD ME...

I HAD A REVELATION IN MY DREAMS.

BUT, DEAR, THE HOUSE IS SO SMALL...

WHA?

MANGA STREAM DO NOT REPOST

NETAROU! WHAT WERE YOU DOING WITH MY DAD'S DREAMS!?

I HAD NO CHOICE, YA KNOW?

FOR THE CRIME OF TELLING YOU HOW THE DREAM WORLD WORKS, I HAD MY SHOP CONFISCATED.

GOTTA START ALL OVER FROM SQUARE ONE

I DON'T HAVE HIGH HOPES OR ANYTHING, THOUGH.

JUST WORK YOUR ASS OFF.

AND THAT'S WHY I'M GONNA BE OPENING A NEW SLEEP DEPOT HERE.

YOU'VE GOT A PRETTY GOOD DREAM MEMORY AND YOUR INTUITION ISN'T BAD EITHER; I'LL TAKE YOU ON AS MY ASSISTANT.

WHAT!?

WH-

NO WAY! WHY ARE YOU ALWAYS TALKING DOWN TO ME!?

OH MY, THEY'RE FRIENDS ALREADY!?

SLEEP LESSONS AHEAD

AND SO, THAT IS HOW MY NIGHTMARES BEGAN AGAIN!

THE END

"NEMURI NETAROU APPEARS!"

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NEXT ISSUE, WE HAVE IWAMOTO NAOKI-SENSEI'S BRAND-NEW ONE-SHOT! "BLACK MYSTIC GOGOGO" WILL BE PUBLISHED WITH A CENTER COLOR!